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Dear Mr. Finfrock:

SUBJECT: NUREG-0737 ITEM II.E.4.2(7) CONTAINMENT ISOLATION ON HIGH RADIATION

Ref: Letter, T. Dente, Chairman, BWR Owner's Group to NRC, dated
June 29, 1981.

Your letter dated August 27, 1981 endorsed the BWR Owner's Group position that a radiation signal for isolation of containment purge valves is not necessary for the Oyster Creek Plant.

We have reviewed this report and determined that your position is not acceptable. The basis for our determination is contained in our evaluation transmitted to the BWR Owner's Group by letter dated October 14, 1981. A copy is enclosed for your information.

In view of our evaluation we request that you re-evaluate your position and advise us of your reconsidered position.

We request that you provide us either additional justification for not installing a high radiation signal on purge valves or your schedule for completing this action. Your response is requested within 45 days of your receipt of this letter.

Sincerely,

Original signed by
Thomas V. Wambach

Dennis M. Crutchfield, Chief
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Enclosure:
SE on NUREG-0737
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cc w/enclosure:
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